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Please replace the Abstract at page 22, lines 1-17, with the following new Abstract:

## ABSTRACT.

A display device has an active matrix that includes a plurality of scanners for selection lines, a plurality of scanners for columns, and a supplementary conductive column crossing over the selection lines is capacitively coupled to each of the selection lines in such a way that each corresponding coupling capacitance has a value close to a sum of coupling capacitances formed between a given selection line and columns crossed by the given selection line.